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Via Overnight Mail

April 10, 2014

Mr. Jeff Derouen, Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

Re: <u>Case No. 2014-00134</u>

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Please find enclosed the original and ten (10) copies of the PETITION TO INTERVENE OF KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC. for filing in the above-referenced matter.

By copy of this letter, all parties listed on the Certificate of Service have been served. Please place these documents of file.

Very Truly Yours,

Michael L. Kurtz, Esq. Kurt J. Boehm, Esq. Jody Kyler Cohn, Esq.

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cc: Certificate of Service

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail (when available) and by regular, U.S. mail, unless other noted, this 10th day of April, 2014 to the following:

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF: BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION'S FILING) OF WHOLESALE CONTRACTS PURSUANT TO KRS 278.180 AND 807 KAR 5:011 §13

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PETITION TO INTERVENE OF KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Pursuant to K.R.S. §278.310 and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(11), Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. ("KIUC") requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above-captioned proceeding and states in support thereof as follows:

- 1. KIUC is an association of the largest electric public utility customers in Kentucky. The purpose of KIUC is to represent the industrial viewpoint on energy and utility issues before this Commission and before all other appropriate governmental bodies.
- 2. The members of KIUC who purchase electricity from Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") through Kenergy Corp. who will participate herein are: Domtar Paper Co., LLC, Kimberly Clark Corporation and Aleris International, Inc.
- 3. All KIUC member companies have a similar interest in ensuring that the rates charged by Big Rivers to Kenergy for pass-through to retail consumers are just and reasonable.
- 4. The matters being decided by the Commission in this case may have a significant impact on the rates paid by KIUC members for electricity. Electricity represents a significant cost of doing business for KIUC members. The attorneys for KIUC authorized to represent them in this proceeding and to take service of all documents are:

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KBoehm@BKLlawfirm.com JKylerCohn@BKLlawfirm.com 5. The position of KIUC cannot be adequately represented by any existing party. KIUC intends to play a constructive role in the Commission's decision making process herein and KIUC's participation will not unduly prejudice any party.

WHEREFORE, KIUC requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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